

Form PTO 1449
(Modified)U.S. DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICEATTY ~~DO NOT WRITE IN THESE SPACES~~
245161US3CIPSERIAL NO.
10/706,914

LIST OF REFERENCES CITED BY APPLICANT

APPLICANT
Tsutomu OKABE, et al.FILING DATE
November 14, 2003RCE FILED:
HEREWITHGROUP
1763

U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL		DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
<i>W</i>	AA	6,186,331 B1	13 Feb 2001	KINPARA et al.			
	AB						
	AC						
	AD						
	AE						
	AF						
	AG						
	AH						
	AI						
	AJ						
	AK						
	AL						
	AM						
	AN						

FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	TRANSLATION	
				YES	NO
	AO				
	AP				
	AQ				
	AR				
	AS				
	AT				
	AU				
	AV				

OTHER REFERENCES (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, etc.)

	AW			
	AX			
	AY			
<i>X</i>	AZ			
Examiner	<i>KAPLA MOORE</i>			<input type="checkbox"/> Additional References sheet(s) attached
				Date Considered <i>2/28/06</i>

*Examiner: Initial if reference is considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609; Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.